

Senate Bill 365

By: Senator Shafer of the 48th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

To provide a short title; to amend Code Section 33-24-47.1 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to notice required of termination or nonrenewal, increase in premium rates, or change restricting coverage, so as to provide for the provision of notice by electronic transmission under certain circumstances; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

This Act shall be known and may be cited as the "Electronic Insurance Notification Act."

SECTION 2.

Code Section 33-24-47.1 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to notice required of termination or nonrenewal, increase in premium rates, or change restricting coverage, is amended by adding a new subsection (f) to read as follows:

"(f) Notwithstanding any provision of this Code section to the contrary, any notice required to be given pursuant to this Code section may be made by electronic transmission, provided that such transmission is verifiable, provides proof of receipt, and is in compliance with such standards as the Commissioner may establish by rule or regulation."

SECTION 3.

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.